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1 sheets Amendment Transmittal
10 sheets Amendment A
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Nemawarkar et al.

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Group: 2133

**Title: COMMUNICATION BETWEEN MULTI
PROCESSOR CLUSTERS OF MULTI-CLUSTER
COMPUTER SYSTEMS**

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

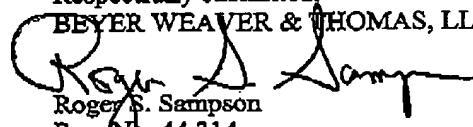
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Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.

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Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. NWISP039).

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